

CALFRESH (CF) PROGRAM

REQUEST FOR POLICY/REGULATION INTERPRETATION

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete items 1 - 10 on the form. Use a separate form for each policy interpretation request. If additional space is needed, please use the second page. Be sure to identify the additional discussion with the appropriate number and heading. Retain a copy of the CF 24 for your records.

- Questions from counties, including county Quality Control, must be submitted by the county CalFresh Coordinator and may be submitted directly to the CalFresh Policy analyst assigned responsibility for the county, with a copy directed to the appropriate CalFresh Policy unit manager.
- Questions from Administrative Law Judges may be submitted directly to the CalFresh Policy analyst assigned responsibility to the county where the hearing took place, with a copy of the form directed to the appropriate CalFresh Bureau unit manager.

1. RESPONSE NEEDED DUE TO: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Policy/Regulation Interpretation <input type="checkbox"/> QC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fair Hearing <input type="checkbox"/> Other:	5. DATE OF REQUEST: 3/28/15	NEED RESPONSE BY: 4/9/15
2. REQUESTOR NAME:	6. COUNTY/ORGANIZATION: Riverside	
3. PHONE NO.:	7. SUBJECT: Tribal Gambling Per Capita Income Exemption CalFresh	
4. REGULATION CITE(S): MPP 63-502.2(q), 44-111.1, 44-111.6(a) and (c)	8. REFERENCES: <i>(Include ACL/ACIN, court cases, etc. in references)</i> NOTE: All requests must have a regulation cite(s) and/or a reference(s). MPP 63-502.2(q), MPP 44-111.1, MPP 44-111.6(a) and (c)	
9. QUESTION: (INCLUDE SCENARIO IF NEEDED FOR CLARITY):		

Question: Claimant is a member of Native American Tribe. Claimant receives gambling Per Capita income each month from the Tribe. Is the gambling Per Capita income exempt in the CalFresh Program as income and if so, how much? Regulations suggest that only \$2,000.00, per year is exempt.

10. REQUESTOR'S PROPOSED ANSWER:

Only \$2,000.00, of gambling Per Capita Income is exempt per year as set forth in the regulations.

Please note, that although MPP 44-111.1 is a CalWORKs regulation it is referenced in MPP 63-502.2(q) as a source of exempt income.

11. STATE POLICY RESPONSE (CFPB USE ONLY):

CDSS agrees with the county's interpretation of the regulations. These regulations are further clarified in MPP 63-506(b) (A)(1).

FOR CDSS USE

DATE RECEIVED:

March 30, 2015

DATE RESPONDED TO COUNTY/ALJ:

April 10, 2015 (WEB)